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Filed: September 19, 2005

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Alexander William Hasircoglu Applicant: et al. Group No.: 3729 16/666,905 Serial No.: Examiner: Chang, Rick Kiltae. September 19, 2003 Filed: ELECTRICAL CONNECTOR For: INSERTION AND REMOVAL TOOL Mail Stop Amendment **Commissioner for Patents** P.O. Box 1450 **Alexandria, VA 22313-1450** TRANSMITTAL Transmitted herewith is: Amendment and Response to the Office Action Dated November 25, 2005 (10 pages) Annotated Claims (5 pages) Parts List (3 pages) Amendment and Response Transmittal and Certificate of Express Mail in duplicate (3 pages) Facsimile Transmittal (1 page)

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT

In response to the Office Action dated November 25, 2005, please amend the aboveidentified patent application as follows: